GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
CONSUMER AFFAIRS, FOOD AND PUBLIC DISTRIBUTION
LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:735
ANSWERED ON:12.07.2004
GODOWNS IN N.E. STATES
Chaliha Shri Kirip

Will the Minister of CONSUMER AFFAIRS, FOOD AND PUBLIC DISTRIBUTION be pleased to state:

(a) the number of Food Corporation of India(FCI) godowns in North-Eastern States including Assam alongwith their storage capacity, State-wise;

(b) whether all these godowns are rodent free and damp proof;

(c) if not, the number of godowns that remain to be made rodent free and damp proof; and

(d) the remedial measures the measures being taken by the Government in this regard to boost the export of sugar?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF CONSUMER AFFAIRS, FOOD AND PUBLIC DISTRIBUTION (DR. AKHILESH PRASAD SINGH)

(a): The information is given in the statement attached.

(b): All the FCI owned godowns are scientifically constructed and are rodent free and damp proof.

(c)&(d): Does not arise.

STATEMENT RFERRED TO IN REPLY TO PART (a) OF THE UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 735 DUE FOR ANSWER ON 12TH JULY, 2004 IN THE LOK SABHA.

(a): The details relating to the number of Food Corporation of India(FCI) godowns in North-Eastern States including Assam alonghwith their storage capacity-state-wise are as under:-

As on 31.3.2004

Capacity in Lakh MTs

State	Number of Godowns	Storage Capacity
Assam	18	1.99
Arunachal Pradesh	04	0.18
Meghalaya	03	0.14
Mizoram	04	0.17
Tripura	03	0.19
Manipur	02	0.18
Nagaland	04	0.17
Total	38	3.02